

THE GAZETTE.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 9

TO-DAY'S ANNIVERSARIES.

Born: Cervantes, 1547.
De Thon, 1532.
Died: Barbara Villers, 1709.
Dr. James Johnson, 1845.
Chicago fire, 1871.

THE NEED OF THE BENNETT LAW.

A short time ago the Rev. Father Walburg, a Catholic priest, gave his opinion of the Bennett law, which provides that the English language shall be taught in the parochial schools of the state. He makes the statement that the Germans should be taught the German for "if they lose their nationality, they lose their good morals." This is charging that American Catholics are more immoral than foreign Catholics, and that learning the English language begets immoral characters! The Rev. Walburg makes another statement: "A foreigner who loses his nationality stands in danger of losing his faith and his nationality." Of course, every American citizen will protest against the charges of Father Walburg, for it is a libel against Irish and American Catholics, and against the American people in general.

The Gazette takes pleasure in reproducing an item from the Milwaukee Sentinel, which will be read with interest because it bears directly upon the point in question. A writer says:

In marked distinction with these Walburg utterances, let me give you an extract from a conversation which recently took place in Milwaukee between an intelligent Irish Catholic priest and a Polish priest of the same faith. The reader can easily discern which is the best exponent of the true Catholic faith and the most patriotic citizen.

Said the Polish priest: "We must keep our children from learning to read and write English, for if we do not they will lose their language, and if they lose their language they will soon lose their faith."

"Nonsense," replied the Irish priest. "Why do you give utterance to such talk as that? It is but a reproach to the Catholic faith and to good common sense. Is the Catholic faith so transitory that it cannot stand up before the English language? Cannot God understand English? Look at the Irish people. Where can you find more devoted or faithful Catholics than they are? Yet they do not know a word of the English language and every one of them have been taught the tenets of their faith in English."

The Gazette wishes to take an illustration or two to show how the English language is neglected in certain parochial schools. There is a church school in Fort Atkinson which has been established for more than twenty years, and in all that time the English language has not been taught in it; neither can the teacher of the school speak English as well as the understood.

The county superintendent of schools of Jefferson county reports that in the parochial schools at Helenville which has 180 scholars, while the district school near by has only 20 scholars. The parochial school has been in existence for a quarter of a century, and so far as can be learned, the only institution in that neighborhood in which the English language is taught, is the little district school. Plenty of corresponding instances can be found in this state.

If the church assumes to teach a child it certainly owes it to both the child and the state, that it shall be taught the language of his own country. It is hard to think that a church would be so derelict in its duty towards the children committed to its charge as to refuse to teach at the language of the country in which it expects to grow to manhood or womanhood.

It is because of this growing evil that the Bennett law was enacted. It is an attempt to give the little German boy and girl as fair a chance in the race of life as the Yankee boy and girl, and every parent ought to see that this is right.

WESTERN FARM MORTGAGES.

Some time ago the New York Times printed a table which claimed to show the amount of farm mortgages on record in six of the principal western states. The table and the editorial remarks accompanying it were extensively circulated in free trade papers, and the democratic press was diligent and enthusiastic in its effort to give publicity to the mortgage table. The aggregate of western farm mortgages as given by the Times, was as follows:

Kansas	\$ 235,000,000
Indiana	500,000,000
Iowa	500,000,000
Michigan	500,000,000
Wisconsin	500,000,000
Ohio	1,125,000,000

The object in publishing this table was to show that protection was a hardship on farmers, that instead of protecting that class it covered their farms with mortgages. Now the question is, where did the free trade paper get its figures, and are the figures true? The state secretary of agriculture of Kansas has thrown some important light on this question. In the compendium of the tenth census for 1880, will be found the value of farms in the six foregoing states as follows:

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It is the wish of free trade papers to make as appalling a showing as possible in regard to mortgage indebtedness on farms. Part of their campaign plan is to make an effort to discourage farmers, and to create a prejudice among them against the protection of American industries. It makes no difference to that class of papers, how glaring is the deception they use in the attempt to carry their point. In the case in point, the Times took the estimated value of the farms in Kansas, Indiana, Iowa, Ohio, Michigan and Wisconsin, as the amount of mortgage indebtedness. It did this with the truth before its eyes, but worked the trick for all that it was worth.

No one will doubt Mr. Moody's orthodoxy, neither will they deny the statement that he is a man of uncommon sense and rare judgment. While speaking of temperance in Chicago last week he took occasion to say:

I believe in prohibition, but not in the third party. I also believe that there is no use in having a law until there is a public sentiment that will secure an enforcement of it. If I could enact a prohibition law in Illinois tomorrow by turning over my hand I wouldn't turn it over, because I don't believe the state is ripe for it. A prohibition law could not be enforced [in the cities].

No reasonable person can deny that Mr. Moody is wise in making this statement. A law which cannot be enforced should not be placed on the statute books. A law which is a dead letter, one which is isolated constantly, is worse than no law at all; this is Mr. Moody's idea. It is Lyman Abbott's opinion, and it is a just one. "Mr. Moody believes that a public temperance sentiment should precede the law, and whenever he has a chance he labors to create it, but he has not yet made the progress he deems necessary to justify a prohibitory law for large cities where the majority of the people are hostile to it." The voice from Connecticut is in harmony with the voice of Mr. Moody. In that state prohibition has been defeated almost four to one. This does not express the temperance sentiment of the state as to abolishing saloons, but it was rather an expression against making a constitutional law which cannot be enforced.

The latest returns from the recent election in Montana, indicates that the republicans have made a clean sweep. A dispatch from Helena, of October 7th, which is the latest received by any of the papers, states that the republicans have elected their whole legislative ticket in Madison county, one member from which has heretofore been conceded to the democrats, and also that the republicans gain one member in Fergus county. If other republican claims hold good this will make the state senate a tie at the house republican by from one to four majority. Chairman Seligman of the republican state committee still claims the legislature and does not concede the election of Tocle for governor. The official count in Lock county will be made this week and that will settle the matter.

Dr. Riggs, of Washington, says that the homeopathic school of medicine has received a wonderful lift in that city lately. He says that ten years ago there were twelve homeopathic physicians at the national capital, while to-day there are thirty-five. Among the patrons of this method of the treatment of disease are Secretaries Blaine and Windom, ex-Secretary Bayard, Senators Call and Kenna, Assistant Attorney General Montgomery, and many others. Dr. Riggs says that the homeopathic school of medicine has received a wonderful lift in that city lately. He says that ten years ago there were twelve homeopathic physicians at the national capital, while to-day there are thirty-five. Among the patrons of this method of the treatment of disease are Secretaries Blaine and Windom, ex-Secretary Bayard, Senators Call and Kenna, Assistant Attorney General Montgomery, and many others. Dr. Riggs says that the homeopathic school of medicine has received a wonderful lift in that city lately. He says that ten years ago there were twelve homeopathic physicians at the national capital, while to-day there are thirty-five. Among the patrons of this method of the treatment of disease are Secretaries Blaine and Windom, ex-Secretary Bayard, Senators Call and Kenna, Assistant Attorney General Montgomery, and many others.

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THE COLORED LEAGUE.

An Appeal to Congress—Separate Schools Denounced. SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Oct. 9.—A great stir was created at the conference of colored men when one of the faithful proposed that Gov. Palmer be invited to address the meeting. A letter was issued to Congress and the people appealing for a redress of the grievances of the colored man. Separate schools were denounced and competent colored teachers extolled as fit for service in mixed schools. The convention took a political bias early in the day. In the evening addresses were made by Gov. Fifer and Senator Culom.

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GOOD RULES TO FOLLOW.

First, be honest and truthful. All depends upon this. If you have work to do, do it cheerfully. If you go out on business, attend to the matter promptly, and then promptly go about your business. Don't stop to tell stories. If you have a place of business, be there during business hours. No one can get rich by sitting around stores and saloons. If you have to labor for a living, remember that one hour in the morning is better than two at night. Do not meddle with any business you know nothing of. Do not be in too great haste to get rich. A good business habit and reputation are always money. Learn to say no. There is no necessity of snapping it out, but say it firmly and respectfully. Learn to think and act for yourself. Keep ahead rather than behind time, for it is easier to keep ahead than to catch up.

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MURDERED HIS MOTHER.

A ROCHESTER YOUNG MAN'S DOUBLE CRIME.

A Mother Pours Carbolic Acid Down Her Own and Her Child's Throat—The Criminal Record.

CHICAGO, Oct. 9.—Four more jurors have been sworn in in the Cronin murder case making eight in all, and the work of getting the last four have begun. The last juror sworn was Henry D. Walker, an upholsterer residing at thirty-first street and Cottage Grove avenue; Frank Allison, a machinist living in Hyde Park; George L. Cork, a clerk in the employ of Druggists; and Edward J. Connelley, a painter, residing at 60 Michigan street, and residing at 73 Walton place.

Mr. North was taken as a juror over the objection and exception duly noted of all defendants except Begg. The examination of Mr. North was concluded on behalf of the defense at the morning session. When court reconvened in the afternoon Mr. Forrest challenged him. The court addressed a few questions to him. His answers showed him qualified and impartial and the challenge was overruled.

Mr. Foster then tendered the four to the State. Mr. Hynes examined Mr. North briefly, and after a conference with his colleagues, accepted him along with the other three. The four were then sworn in and were given permission to retire to the jury's chamber along with their fellow-jurors first chosen.

Judge McConnell thinks the four jurors selected yesterday excellent ones. The court entered an order allowing the experts for the defense to examine and compare the hair found in the trunk with that of Dr. Cronin. The examination will be made within four days and in the presence of the experts for the State. The only preliminary challenges of the defense remaining are twelve, belonging to Begg.

KILLED HIS MOTHER.

A Buffalo, N. Y., Youth Commits a Terrible Crime and Then Slays Himself.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Oct. 9.—A most shocking case of murder and suicide occurred at 43 Main street at an early hour this morning. Charles F. Orris, who resided with his mother, Mrs. Mary King, shot her at about 14 o'clock while she was sleeping, and then committed suicide by cutting his throat from ear to ear with a razor. The room where the crime was committed presented a terrible sight. In a little bed-room lay the murdered woman. An ugly bullet wound in her face told the story. She lay as if dead, quietly sleeping, and undoubtedly never realized what had happened to her. Even the bedclothes, though saturated with blood from the wound, were not disturbed. After killing his mother the murderer walked to a table near by and hastily scribbled the following admission of his guilt on three separate pieces of brown paper. These were found in his vest pocket this morning. They read as follows:

"I should prefer cremation, if possible. Please don't bother our relations about the matter, for they have trouble enough as it is. I hope my friends will not think the worse of me for this. I am tired of living and that is enough. Mother could not get along without me, so I ended her suffering also. Good-by, friends, and may you all be happy. CHARLES F. ORRIS."

After writing the above note surrounded by the blood of his mother, he took a mirror and cut his throat from ear to ear with a razor. He then walked across the room, sat down in a chair, and smoked a cigarette while his life blood was oozing out.

MURDER AND SUICIDE.

Poured Carbolic Acid Down Her Own and Her Child's Throat.

CHICAGO, Oct. 9.—Made despondent and perhaps driven temporarily insane by sickness and worry, Mrs. Fritz Katz of No. 413 Belden avenue killed her six-week-old baby, Henrietta, by pouring half an ounce or more of pure carbolic acid down its throat and then committed suicide by swallowing a dose of the deadly poison herself. Mrs. Katz took advantage of a moment when her sister Amelia Ascher was absent from her bedroom preparing food for the child. She took the poison from the bureau drawer and her purpose was accomplished in a moment. Her husband entered the house at that moment, just in time to hear her screams of agony. Physicians were soon at the house. The baby had in the confusion been taken to another room, and the physicians paid all their attention to the dying woman, without at first being able to tell what was the cause of her condition. Rather strangely the smell of carbolic acid was not noticeable about her, and it was not until one of the doctors had picked up the baby and noticed that its mouth and chin had been burnt by the poison, the odor of which was very plain, that he discovered the cause. A search was made for the bottle, and it was found empty in the woman's bed. Mrs. Katz was not conscious for more than a minute or two after taking the poison, but lived for nearly an hour. The child lived a few minutes longer.

ORGANIZED INCENDIARISM.

Repeated Attempts to Burn the Town of Mexico, Mo.

MEXICO, Mo., Oct. 9.—Great excitement exists here over an organized attempt made last night to burn the principal residence portion of the town. No less than four incendiary fires occurred within a space of six hours, and the incendiaries were driven away from their work in two instances before they could apply the torch to the buildings which they intended to burn. The barns of John Savinets, the Rev. P. B. Cassill, ex-Senator Webb M. Ruby, and John Wright were all set on fire between 8 o'clock and midnight. In each case it was with great difficulty that the residences of the persons named were saved from the fire. Shortly after midnight the police surprised along incendiaries at their work in the barns of Col. John F. Williams and Dr. A. B. Miller. Two negro girls were arrested for complicity in the crime, but were released for lack of evidence. This attempt to burn the town is supposed to result from the arrest and conviction last week of several members of a band of incendiaries, who are believed to be seeking revenge.

A PUT-UP JOB.

The Assault on Capt. Slattery Made for the Purpose of Robbing Him. ST. LOUIS, Mo., Oct. 9.—The developments made in the Slattery case are satisfactory to the police. It is now generally believed that Capt. Slattery was intoxicated and that his diamonds and watch were burned, and he was excited the cupid of Hunt and Rigby, who put up a job on him, sending him up to Mrs. Klosterman's room for the very purpose of getting an excuse to assault him. Capt. Slattery is not fatally hurt, but it will be a long time before he is able to attend to any business. Not a word in the shape of an interview can be obtained from him, and his lawyers refuse to talk. Klosterman, who was closed with Judge Laughlin, Slattery's attorney, for two hours prior to his release, talks in a very independent way. Hunt still maintains that Klosterman made the assault.

An Embroiderer Arrested. TORONTO, Ontario, Oct. 9.—Walter B. Foster, who embroidered \$1,000 from the

McCormick Reaper Company, of Rochester, N. Y., has been arrested here. His parents reside at Tennesseville, N. Y., and are wealthy. Foster has been here for several days, and has been spending money lavishly.

Allen O. Myers Must Go to Jail. COLUMBUS, Ohio, Oct. 9.—Allen O. Myers was to-day sentenced to pay a fine of \$250 and to serve fifteen days in the county jail for contempt of court. The case was sent back by the Supreme court for a rehearing. The former fine was the same and the sentence ninety days.

DELEGATES AT WORK.

The Pan-American Congress a Business-Like Institution.

MANCHESTER, N. H., Oct. 9.—Many of the delegates and attaches of the international excursion party are having their first experience with sleeping cars. Their special train remained in the Boston & Maine railroad station until 2 o'clock in the morning, when it was run slowly and without jolting to Manchester, and the members of the party opened their eyes in the State of New Hampshire. At the station were Senator Blair, Mayor Varney, and a committee representing the great corporations of Manchester. These gentlemen cordially welcomed the congress, and in carriages the guests were driven through the business part of the town. They had with them a comparatively small city half a million spindles were whirling and 14,000 looms were weaving miles per day of fabrics of all kinds. After looking over the factories the party were escorted to a new mill, where in one-half of a great hall, 400 by 100 feet, had been arranged a display of textile and other goods produced in Manchester in the half of one working day. When the exhibit had been duly admired the party was seated at luncheon furnished by the citizens, and shortly after noon started for Portland.

PORTLAND, Maine, Oct. 9.—From the display of Manchester's combined product of manufacture each foreign delegate took away samples and price lists. When the special train had started on its four-hour journey to this city there was a busy scene in each car. The foreigners had tables set, each in his section, and for the first time since the beginning of the trip the North Americans witnessed the systematic methods of the Central and South Americans. The samples of goods and cloths were spread out. The delegates were then employed in writing quick brief memoranda and comments dictated by their chiefs, and as the work went forward, the impressions or remarks of the delegates concerning each of the various products when committed to paper were fastened to the respective samples and packed away for reference and for future use.

The train reached Portland at 4 o'clock. Carriages were in waiting and the excursionists started on a drive through the city. The citizens were prepared for the visitors, and flags floated from many buildings. Almost every window on the route was filled with faces, hats were raised, and the children turned out in numbers. Just at dusk the Falmouth house was reached and the guests were escorted to the reception-rooms, where Mayor Melcher and a committee of forty citizens welcomed them. The visitors were afterward entertained at a banquet at which over two hundred gentlemen were present. After dinner Mayor Melcher, in behalf of the citizens of Portland, extended a hearty welcome to the visitors and introduced Senator Hale of Maine, who briefly addressed the delegates.

Senator Menendez, delegate of Brazil, who followed, said that the object of the congress was worthy to be treated by men like Webster, but giants were dead and the world was in one piece. Their resources and capabilities should, like the small streams of the great central valley, unite in larger and larger courses until they should flow together like the great Mississippi.

Other addresses were made by Charles R. Flint of the American delegation, A. A. Street of the Portland board of trade, and Dr. Silva, secretary of the treasury of Colombia. At 11 o'clock the party started for Worcester.



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RELIGIOUS GATHERINGS.

A Member of the Episcopal Convention
Creates a Little Sensation.

New York, Oct. 8.—In the house of deputies of the general Episcopal convention, a resolution was adopted to divide the church of the United States into provinces.

Messrs. Hoffman and Nash, New York; Bonnell, southern Ohio; Davenport, Ohio; Garrison, New Jersey; Gallor, Tennessee; Burghin, Pittsburgh; Judd, Chicago; Woodworth, Nebraska; Brown, Massachusetts. The committee will report to the general convention of 1890.

A resolution looking to the admission of a new diocese in California within the present limits was passed.

The committee on the consecration of new bishops reported favorably on a resolution to consecrate Dr. William A. Leonard bishop for southern Ohio and Thomas F. Davies bishop for Michigan.

Resolution recommending the re-establishment of the primitive order of deaconesses were referred.

A sensation was caused by a resolution offered by Mr. Stoenberg, Indiana, asking for the creation of a new house of American archbishops with five members from five archdioceses—namely: Northern and eastern, central, northwestern and Pacific, southern, and southwestern. It was referred to the committee on dioceses.

Dr. Gibson of New York moved that the Athanasian creed be inserted and printed in the American prayer book, together with what are known as "damnable clauses." It was referred to the committee on revision of the creed.

The report of the committee on judicial system was read, recommending that in every diocese the committee of trying deacons and the deacons may be instituted by a convention of the diocese until a general convention otherwise decides.

Mr. Burghin of Pittsburgh spoke at some length on the desirability of a change in the existing methods of trial.

Many of those present opposed the plan advocated by the committee and a warm debate ensued with the result that no definite action was taken.

The committee appointed to nominate the trustees of the General Theological seminary named the following: The Rev. James D. Pennington, Col. of New Hampshire; Astwell, Ohio; H. H. Hamman, Rhode Island; Mills of New Jersey, and W. H. Burghin of North Carolina.

The appointment of a joint committee to examine the work of the clergy in the South is as follows: The Rev. Dr. Phillips Brooks of Massachusetts, Bird of Florida, Stringfellow of Tennessee, Vibbert of Chicago, McConell of Louisiana, Wilcox of Georgia, and Morgan of New York, and Wilder of Minnesota.

WISCONSIN BAPTISTS.

Convention of Clergy and Laymen Opened at Eau Claire.

Eau Claire, Wis., Oct. 9.—The Wisconsin Baptist convention of clergymen and laymen opened Tuesday night with 300 members present. The Rev. Dr. J. H. Hodge of Janesville, president, presided.

Dr. D. E. H. Hamman of Delavan, superintendent of missions, presented the report of the board of managers. It showed that during the year the missionaries have been at work. Ten of them devoted themselves to the Scandinavians, who are in the future to be made a special object of mission work. The total membership of the mission churches and Sunday schools is 1,400. Contributions by mission churches were \$36,400. A Lutheran minister at Woodville, Wis., was baptized and received into the church. The most important question at issue was the co-operative plan of work proposed by the American Baptist Home Mission society.

Indiana Baptists in Session.

SOUTH BEND, Ind., Oct. 8.—The fifty-eighth annual convention of the Indiana State Baptist convention is in session in this city with several hundred clergymen in attendance, representing five hundred churches and about forty-five hundred members. The convention will be in session four days. The Rev. G. E. Farr of this city delivered the address of welcome, which was responded to by the Rev. Dr. B. F. Cavins of Peru, the Rev. Dr. W. A. Chaffee of Seymour, Ind., preached the annual sermon. The army of visiting clergymen are being hospitably entertained by citizens of all denominations.

Presbyterians at Kalamazoo.

KALAMAZOO, Mich., Oct. 9.—The synod of Michigan of the Presbyterian church convened here Tuesday night, and there are 200 ministers present. This synod at present includes all of the lower peninsula, but it is expected that the churches of the upper peninsula will be taken into the synod of Wisconsin and added to the synod of Michigan.

RANDALL IS BETTER.

Believed He Will Be Able to Return to Washington at Once.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Oct. 9.—The illness of Samuel J. Randall has recently taken a serious turn and aroused the fears that he may never return to his place in Washington. For the last three days Mr. Randall's condition has been of great pain and weakness, a violent attack of diarrhoea having both sapped his strength and aggravated his local ailment. So severe has grown the pain yesterday that the patient was put under the influence of opiates. Mr. Randall's case has been a matter of anxiety among his many friends ever since his return from Washington to Wallingford, L. I., Congressmen Samuel J. Randall will probably return to Washington in a day or two. During last week he was not so well as usual, but he is now better, and it is expected that he will be able to resume his journey to Washington without discomfort.

Sudden Death of Actor C. B. Bishop.

New York, Oct. 9.—After the first scene of "Lord Chumley" in the Lyceum theater last evening E. H. Sothern appeared before the audience and announced that Charles B. Bishop, who had a few moments before been acting a prominent part, had suddenly died in his dressing-room while changing his costume. The audience was in a state of great excitement. Bishop was with him when he died and was prostrated by the shock. Mr. Bishop was one of the most distinguished comedians on the American stage, and was noted as a profound student of Shakespeare.

Seth Low President of Columbia.

NEW YORK, Oct. 8.—The trustees of Columbia college, holding their annual afternoon session, elected the Hon. Seth Low of Brooklyn president of the college. He will accept the position.

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Do you want oysters or soup? If you want solid oysters call at the Sea Side, where you will be served with fresh solid bulk oysters at the same price that others sell soup. When once you have eaten some of their oysters you will go no place else. Call at the Sea Side.

Largest stock of cloaks at J. M. Boswick & Son's.

Coal.

Our coal is carefully inspected. We have already received to receive several cars of hard and soft coal, shipped in this season. The quality was not satisfactory, and we would accept no compromise. We prefer to be out of stock rather than unload poor coal at any price.
BLAIR & GOWDY.

Janesville, Wis.

FOR RENT.—House No. 59 Milton avenue. Enquire next door north.

Sugar cured hams, dried beef and bacon at Denniston's.

Leave orders for coal and wood at John H. Myers' grocery and they will receive prompt attention.

DAVID K. JEFFRIES.

WANTED.—Man, with \$500 to \$1000 cash. Salary \$700 month, or partnership. Will guarantee partner \$125 net profit monthly. Light manufacturing. Inquire Railroad Hotel, Room 4, city.

JANESVILLE, Wis., Oct. 8, 1889.

I offer for sale my farm, adjoining city, and grounds and buildings adjoining farm. Inquire of Wm. Rogers, Jackson block.

EDW. ROGER.

Caramel sugar, Gold dust cornmeal, Gluten flour—wheat germ meal; try the cottage bread at Denniston's.

Don't buy a cloak before seeing our line.
J. M. BOSWICK & SONS.

The great fall sale of wall papers and curtains. Call and see them at Sutherland's bookstore.

Look around as much as you desire then call and see our stock of cloaks—it will give you a better idea of the completeness of our line.
J. M. BOSWICK & SONS.

Look at the new and artistic "Crown Devon" were just opened at Wheelock's; also new olive dishes—celleries; lunch baskets, 10 cents up.

For a good stock of blank books, call at Sutherland's bookstore.

Best canal coal \$6.00 per ton at D. K. Jeffries.

Having just returned from New York we are prepared to show you the very latest things in dress goods, silks, laces, trimmings, shawls, cloaks, carpets, etc.
J. M. BOSWICK & SONS.

Letter copying books, cheap at Sutherland's bookstore.

Dry last winter's cut 21 growth oak. No doozy wood at D. K. Jeffries.

Remember I will meet any one's price on coal that handles as good an article. No shed burned dock still in ours.
D. K. JEFFRIES.

Grand bargains in east side property if taken soon. Come quick.
D. CONGER.

For Sale.

My residence, near corner of Washington and Terrace streets. House 29 by 30 and 20 feet posted. Six sleeping rooms large cellar and cistern.

D. P. SMITH.

A dollar saved is a dollar earned. You can save it at the Milwaukee Clothing Co's.

Don't fail to examine the immense line of new goods at the Milwaukee Clothing Co's.

Seasoned Wood.

FALL PRICES.

Maple, sawed twice and split, 6 00 to 7 25 Oak, sawed twice and split 6 00 to 6 25 Poplar, sawed twice and split 5 00 to 5 50 Pine kilnd, sawed twice and split 4 00 to 4 50 Fine kindling, 5 cents per bunch.

All wood thoroughly seasoned.
SMITH & GATELEY.

Hosiery and underwear—we save you money on both these lines.
ARCHIE REID.

For Sale.—A building lot with good shade, near first ward school. Enquire 126 Pearl street.

For Sale or Rent.—A good house and lot on Cherry street. Inquire of E. H. Harnish, 152 Lincoln street.

Cloaks.—An enormous line of all the new styles, and at the lowest prices. We make a specialty of plush garments made from "Walker" plushes guaranteed to wear.
ARCHIE REID.

Received, car load of Badger Ranges prices reduced. Come and see me to bargain in new and second-hand stoves. All kinds of tin work done. Stoves blacked and set up.
E. W. LOWELL.

For Sale.

A farm of 240 acres in the town of Harmony. Land under a high state of cultivation; good buildings. Short distance from the city. Will be sold for part cash, the balance on long time at six per cent. For particulars apply to Silas Hayner, Room 10, Jackson Block, 21 Floor.

We have now a full stock of all the new yarns, such as Ostrich wool, Coral yarn, Ice wool, Alliance yarn, etc., dried from the factory, and at prices that will suit everybody, at Spoon & Snyder's.

Immense line new furs at Archie Reid's.

Buy the Red School house shoes for the little folks. Our reduced prices are small sizes 90 cents; misses and boys, \$1; large sizes \$1.25.
BROWN BROS.

Advice to Mothers.

Miss Whitson's Brooming Hairbrush is the best for children's hair. It soothes the scalp, softens the curls, always all pain cured without oil, and is the best remedy for dandruff, 25c a bottle.

BRIEFLETS.

—Mrs. Geo. S. Knight this evening at Lappin's opera house.

—Theatre goes will be amused at Lappin's opera house this evening.

—Badger Council, Royal Arcanum, assembled in regular meeting this evening.

—Mrs. J. W. Wemple, of Oak Lawn, gave a very pleasant tea party last evening to her friends.

—Wisconsin Lodge No. 14, I. O. O. F., occupy Old Fellows hall this evening—regular weekly meeting.

—Will Watt entertained a few friends last evening at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Watt, No. 207 South Main street.

—Rev. E. L. Eaton, of Court Street Methodist church, has rented Mr. Al. Kaveles's house, No. 163 South Main street, for the winter.

—Ald. Horn received from the State Fish Hatchery this morning, 5000 German carp fry, which he is going to place in Spaulding's lake.

—Regular quarterly meeting of the city hospital directors will be held this evening in the rooms of the Associated Charities, Jackson block.

—Mrs. E. M. Hyzer gave a progressive euchre party to a few friends at her home 252 Park Place last evening, in honor of Miss Underdunk, Batavia, New York.

—Washington Camp No. 1, Patriotic Sons of America, assembled in regular weekly meeting this evening—lodge room in the Judd block, North Main street.

—Chicago Herald will be found from this on at the Fountain Cigar Store on West Milwaukee street, and also at Palmer & Stevens' drugstore, corner of Main and Milwaukee streets.

For Sale.—A good established paying business not requiring a large amount of capital. Good reasons given for selling. It will pay you to investigate this. Address Z, care of Gazette office.

—Mrs. Geo. S. Knight will appear this evening at Lappin's opera house in three amusing one act farces—comedies—"Beauty Bess," "Crazed," or "Queen of the Varieties," and "My Lord in Livery."

—Yesterday was the last day of the Harvest Excursion on the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul lines. Five hundred dollars worth of tickets were sold to Janesville parties, who will travel in the west.

—Mr. Robert Horn, our South Main street jeweler, says he is tired of hearing stories told of the many pot hunters of the city, and just to show them what a bag of game should be, has arranged for a day's hunt.

—Mrs. Geo. S. Knight and her superb comedy company should have a full house this evening at the opera house—the company will present three amusing one act comedies, Mrs. Knight appearing in a leading part in each farce.

—H. B. Haskell has just completed a number of concrete sidewalks on the premises of James Van Etta, South Main, South First and Water streets, third ward, and his men are now at work on similar walks on North Bluff street.

—Mrs. E. L. Loomis, of the first ward, gave an afternoon tea to-day in honor of Mrs. William Street, who is to remove to her new home in Alabama. About one hundred and fifty ladies were present and the occasion was very enjoyable.

—The Gazette is in receipt of files of New York city papers containing full reports of the proceedings of the General Convention of the Protestant Episcopal church, now in session in that city. Hon. J. B. Doe, of this city is in attendance as a delegate from the Wisconsin diocese.

—In accordance with the resolutions passed by the common council, instructing the committee to employ counsel to assist City Attorney Doe in the matter of the city against Mr. Ed. F. Carpenter, for obstructing Rock river within the city limits, the city has engaged William Rogers, Esq.

—Last evening at Watertown a fire destroyed Edward Blasens' furniture factory and his dwelling house close by, together with machinery, lumber and stock, the entire loss being estimated at about \$8,000, upon which there is not a cent of insurance. This is the most serious fire that has visited Watertown in several years.

—While the many squirrel stories are daily coming in it might not be out of place to mention the fact that the ducks are quite numerous at the lake, and those who go have good success; also the snipe shooting is all that could be desired on the river and creeks around Atton; also large numbers of plover and doves are to be found there.

—The ladies' orchestra of Janesville, will meet to-night over the city music store, to practice. The orchestra is now composed of seven members, with Mr. Ed. Hayward as leader. They have had several offers to play for theaters, but were not in shape to work. In the future they do not propose to be found wanting.

—The ladies of the First M. E. church will give a free supper at the church this evening. All members of the church and congregation are cordially invited to come and bring their families and friends. Supper will be served from six to nine p. m. A good social time is anticipated. Do not fail to attend. The seats will be rented for the present year during the evening.

—Messrs. H. Baubholz & Co. began tearing down the paint shop this morning preparatory to building a new structure on the ground now occupied by the old one, No. 4 Bluff street. The new building will be built of cream brick, 32x100 feet, two stories high and will be supplied with all the modern appliances for doing first class work, and will cost in the neighborhood of \$2,800. Mr. Carl Pabst has the contract.

—Last evening the members of St. Mary's and St. Patrick's churches of this city met in Columbia hall, and partially reorganized their literary society which is to be known as "The Catholic Literary Society of Janesville. The only work done last evening was to meet and receive the names of new members and adjourned until next Tuesday evening when the election of officers will take place.

The largest line of goods' furnishing goods in the city.
MILWAUKEE CLOTHING CO.

THE DANCING SEASON.

A NEW DANCE BROUGHT OUT FOR THE YOUNG PEOPLE.

The social dancing season has fairly opened in Janesville, hardly an evening passing without one or more private or public dancing parties taking place. Last evening the N. O. W. club opened their season's series of social dancing parties at the Armory. The attendance was quite large and the party was one of real pleasure to all. Smith & Anderson have introduced a number of new pieces of music and have arranged their orchestra so that it is now greatly improved and strengthened over former seasons. The party last evening was the first of a series of ten parties to be given by this club during the social season.

Of course anything relating to the new dances will interest the young people. "What will be the most popular dance this winter, did you say?" said a popular eastern dancing master to a newspaper. "Why, the La Reve, of course. What is it like?" The lady's left hand is placed on the gentleman's left shoulder, the two clasped hands held a little above the waist, with the arms curved. The couple must be close. And hence the probable popularity of La Reve. In fact, monsier, it is always graceful for two people to dance apart. This applies, of course, to round dances, unless you live in Brooklyn. They are awfully nice in Brooklyn, why, when they dance the dreamy waltz in that town, it is like the old fashioned quadrille out west.

"You ask me if there has been much change in dancing. Oui, monsier! People used to dance nearly altogether, on their toes. Now they dance on the whole foot—they scarcely raise the heel. La Reve is one of the dreamiest dances I have ever danced. The movements of La Reve are, may I say it, voluptuous. The dancers glide away like two swans in the spring time. It starts off with three glides. Here is a further description of it which I obtained from my master downtown: After the three glides there follows a coupe or thrusting forward of the foot and recovering it immediately behind the other foot. After that there is the jete or delicious little mousy jump with the forward foot, at the same time bringing the other foot to a position of rest. This position of rest is technically termed the assemblée. That is all there is to it, and the dreamy dancers go on gliding and gliding, now and then giving the suspicion of a delicate little leap, as if the ecstasy were just too ravishing to endure without some manifestation of the 'too utterly utter.' The movements are pretty and graceful. Indeed, none but graceful dancers want to attempt it. Le Reve when well danced gives a perfect portrayal of the poetry of motion, and it is sure to be the favorite of all graceful dancers. The awkward will revel in it, too, for that matter, for who of all giddy dancers will acknowledge that he or she is awkward?"

THE WINTER MEETING.

OF THE WISCONSIN PRESS ASSOCIATION WILL PROBABLY BE HELD IN JANESVILLE.

Very little business was considered at the adjourned meeting of the Business Men's Association last evening. In the absence of President Chas. W. Hodson, Ogden H. Fethers, Esq., was elected president pro tem.

The Myers opera house committee was given further time to prepare their report.

The street railway committee was also granted further time to consider matters referred to that committee.

Secretary Bowles read a communication from Byron J. Price, of Hudson, Wis., president of the Wisconsin Press Association, in relation to the holding of the winter session in Janesville.

H. F. Bliss offered the following resolution and invitation:

Resolved, That the secretary be requested to extend the following invitation to the Wisconsin Press Association:

JANESVILLE, Wis., Oct. 8, 1889.

To Byron J. Price, President, Wisconsin Press Association.

The Janesville Business Men's Association, and the press of Janesville hereby extend a cordial invitation to your association to meet in our city for your winter session in February. Awaiting your favorable reply we are,

Very truly,
The Business Men's Association.

The resolution was adopted and the meeting adjourned.

THE RIVER OBSTRUCTION CASE.

IT IS NOW BEING ARGUED BEFORE JUDGE PATTERSON.

The case of the city vs. Ed. F. Carpenter, now before the municipal court, is not progressing very rapidly. It had to be adjourned this morning to make room for the "Milton road obstruction case" that was adjourned last week until this morning. Further argument will be heard on this case this forenoon and was again adjourned.

At two o'clock E. M. Hyzer, Esq., took up his argument for the defense, where he left off last evening. He will be followed by City Attorney Doe, who will be the last one to be heard in this case now before the court. The question as to whether the city has a right to pass such an ordinance as the one that has just been violated, is the subject matter of Mr. Hyzer's remarks.

THE WEATHER.

At seven o'clock this morning the thermometer indicated 33 degrees above zero. Clear with south wind.

At one o'clock p. m. the register was 71 degrees above zero. Clear with southwest wind. For the corresponding hours one year ago the register was 29 and 60 degrees above zero.

A Lansing, Mich., Minister Gets \$5,000.

On Saturday, July 20th, the official cards from the Louisiana State Lottery company announced that ticket No. \$58,697 drew the second capital prize of \$50,000 in Tuesday, July 16th drawing, the ticket being held in twentieth, one-twentieth sold in Lansing, Mich. Conjectures as to who held the lucky number ran free. Some were of the opinion that a young man by the name of Coopers, employed at the iron works, held it, others thought the entire thing a snide, delusion and snare. By pursuing investigations unremittingly, The Republican has ascertained the owner of the ticket to the fortune of \$5,000 to be none other than Rev. Fred Mayer, the German Evangelical minister.—Lansing (Mich.) Republican, Aug. 7.

Money to loan by D. Conger.

PERSONAL MENTION.

THE COMING AND GOING OF PEOPLE WE KNOW.

—Mr. Herbert Kent is in Chicago for a week on a visit.

—Mr. S. P. Spear left for Brodhead this morning on business.

—B. H. Eldridge, Esq., is in Monroe this week attending court.

—Mr. George H. Hamill, of Porter, is in Janesville to-day, on business.

—P. J. Mout has accepted a position as book-keeper for F. M. Marzuff & Co.

—Mr. J. J. Hall, of the firm of Kimball & Hall, is in Chicago to day on business.

—Mr. A. Streeter, agent of the Bradstreet Co., of Milwaukee, was in the city yesterday.

—Judge Bennett left to-day for Monroe where he will open the Green county circuit court.

—Walter Williams, of Rockford, is in the city visiting Geo. and Herb. Allen, 158 Cherry street.

—Mr. Fred H. Sperry, formerly of this city, now of Chicago, is visiting friends in Janesville.

—Mr. Percy Magee left last evening on a western tour, going to Denver, and from there to the Pacific coast.

—Mrs. N. Bell, of Penos Allos, New Mexico, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Watson, 156 Prospect avenue.

—Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Taylor started this noon for a two week's visit with relatives and friends in Grant county.

—J. W. Hodgdon, baggage man at the Chicago & Northwestern depot, is confined to his bed by sickness at his home No. 58 Terrace street.

—Ogden H. Fethers went this morning to Monroe, where he will appear in several cases in the circuit court now in session in that city.

—Walter Metcalf, of Marengo, Ill., brother of G. A. Metcalf, of this city, has entered the office of Dr. James Mills, for the purpose of studying medicine. Success to him.

—Mrs. Geo. R. Peck, of Topeka, Kansas, who has been in the city for a few days, leaves for her home to-morrow morning accompanied by her father Mr. R. S. Burdick.

—W. R. Jones, who has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. R. Jones 156 Terrace street for the past two weeks, returned to Columbus where he is engaged in business.

—Mr. John Stoly is away on a business trip through the northern part of Wisconsin in the interest of the Lawrence Carriage Tool Company. Mr. Bert Clark is superintendent during his absence.

—Mr. E. E. Eddington left last night on an extended tour through the west. Mr. Eddington will visit Montana, Oregon, and all along on the Pacific coast and may be absent from three months to a year.

—Mrs. A. H. Luther, the noted trance speaker, is coming to Janesville and will speak in all South churches on Thursday and Friday evening. All who are in favor of truth and justice and the advancement of civilization are invited.

—Mrs. M. A. Sparham left this morning on an extended tour through the west, going first to Chicago, from there to Des Moines, and starting from there on the 21st of this month for Portland, Oregon, where she will remain during the winter.

—Mr. Dee Butler left to-day for Jefferson, Oregon, where he goes to join his father as a millwright. Mr. Butler is engaged in the erection of a large roller mill, at the above place. Janesville young people are very sorry to have Dee leave, yet they all unite in wishing him success and a pleasant time in his far away home.

THE Y. M. C. A.

THE ANNUAL MEETING TO BE HELD IN RACINE.

Y. M. C. A. ROOMS.
MILWAUKEE, Sept. 16, 1889.

The fifteenth annual convention of the Young Men's Christian Association of Wisconsin will be held at Racine, October 16-20. All the associations of the state are expected to send large delegations. Pastors of churches, members of Young People's societies, and all persons who have an interest in work for the good of the boys and young men of the state are invited to attend. Free entertainment will be furnished all who attend.

An interesting programme has been prepared, and leading christian workers from this and other states will be present and aid in making this the most valuable convention yet held.

The singing will be led by a choir of young men under the direction of Mr. Willis, of Milwaukee. Christian work in behalf of the 300,000 young men of our state furnishes a theme which ought to bring together a large, intelligent and earnest number of the christian ministers, business men and young men. Will not you who read this plan to give these few days of secular and sacred time to attendance on this convention?

All railroads entering Racine will give one-third return fare to all attending, who pay full fare coming. All persons desiring to attend should write at once to F. E. Anderson, general secretary, Y. M. C. A. Racine, for entertainment. All letters of inquiry, requests for programmes, etc., should be addressed to Mr. Lewis, state secretary, Milwaukee.

O. M. BLACKMAN,
Ch'n. State Com. Milwaukee, Wis.

W. E. LEWIS,
State Sec'y, Milwaukee, Wis.

SHOPEAK.

—Mrs. John Fonda is quite sick with pneumonia.

—Two sisters of Mr. Ed. Brainerd are visiting here.

—A fire started on Mr. Kemmerer's farm last Thursday and owing to the high winds, spread very rapidly, but with the help of the neighbors it was kept under control. The greatest loss was some stacks of hay, straw and clover seed belonging to Mr. Boswick.

—Mrs. Arnold, a sister of Mrs. Frank Oliver, spent a few days visiting here last week.

—A bouncing boy arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Sears last Wednesday evening, and mother and son are doing finely.

—Mr. Walter Scott returned to his work in Milwaukee after spending a few weeks' vacation in this place.

—Business of some kinds are dull here at present but horse trading is carried on to some extent. It pays well, notwithstanding, and cents, but pigs, cattle, etc., which is nearly the same as money.

Beocham's Pills act like magic on a weak stomach.

RELIGIOUS GATHERINGS.

THE BAPTIST CONVENTION AT EAU CLAIRE—PRESBYTERIANS AT MADISON.

EAU CLAIRE, Oct. 8.—In connection with the Baptist state convention the Wisconsin Baptist Ministerial Association met here to-day. Officers were elected as follows: President, the Rev. D. B. Cheney, Jr., of LaCrosse; vice president, the Rev. R. R. Ooon, Jr., of Berlin; secretary, the Rev. W. H. Berlin; treasurer, the Rev. G. D. Stevens, of Cassville; librarian, the Rev. E. B. Edmunds, of Beaver Dam. The historical committee reported 892 baptisms during the year and the present membership 13,300. The Baptist state convention met this evening, the Rev. M. G. Dodge, of Janesville, presiding, and responding to the address of welcome by the Rev. W. A. McKillop, of Eau Claire. The forty-fifth annual report of the board of managers was presented by the Rev. D. E. Haltemann, of Delavan, superintendent of missions. It shows that during the year ending September 30th, forty-nine missionaries have been engaged in this state.

The total church membership in mission churches is 2,745. The teachers and scholars enrolled in mission Sunday schools number 4,570. The total contributions by mission churches were \$36,406. Under the head of "Bright Places in the report" is noted the baptism at Woodville, Wis., of a Lutheran minister. Special attention has been given during the year to work among the Scandinavians, one-fifth of the missionaries being thus employed and the Scandinavian mission churches being twenty-nine in number, with 1,500 members. The convention will organize for work to-morrow.

PRESBYTERIANS AT MADISON.

MADISON, Oct. 8.—The annual session of the Presbyterian synod for Wisconsin, embracing the churches of Wisconsin and Northern Peninsula of Michigan, opened this afternoon in the First Presbyterian church. The Woman's Synodical Missionary association is meeting conjointly with the regular synod, and the attendance at both sessions is over 200. There will be a dissolution of the synod after this year, the branch in Northern Michigan combining with the main body of that state. The meeting this afternoon was merely preliminary and for the election of officers. The Rev. A. V. O. Schenck, of Neeshburg, was elected moderator. The Rev. W. R. Frame, of Stevens Point, was re-elected state clerk for three years and the Rev. C. L. Richards re-elected permanent clerk and the Revs. John L. Gage and Calvin O. Todd were chosen temporary clerks. At this evening's session the retiring moderator, the Rev. T. S. Johnson, of Beaver Dam, preached the opening sermon, after which the communion service was celebrated. A question that is to come before the synod which is likely to cause considerable discussion, is the revision of the catechism, which is occupying the attention of the synods all through the country at present.

OBITUARY.

MRS. HARRIET E. HAIGHT.

After two weeks' illness, which developed into bilious fever, Mrs. Harriet E. Haight, wife of Mr. John Haight, passed away suddenly, at her home at Johnston, on Sunday morning last, at eight o'clock. Her condition was not considered dangerous until Saturday night at eight o'clock, when she was taken with a severe hemorrhage of the bowels, which continued the time of her death.

Mrs. Haight was born in Saratoga county, New York, on November 13, 1831, and was, therefore, nearly fifty-eight years of age. When quite young she removed with her parents (Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Ambler) to Janesville, Wisconsin, where she continued to reside until her marriage to Mr. Haight, on November 24th, 1853, since which time she has lived in Johnston, Wis. The deceased leaves to mourn her death, an aged aged and infirm mother, husband, A. H. Haight, and three daughters, Mrs. J. H. Haight, of Chicago, Illinois; Miss J. Will S. Haight, and Sarah A. Haight, all of whom reside at home, with the exception of the son first mentioned.

POMONA GRANGE.

PROGRAMME FOR THE MEETING AT JANESVILLE GRANGE HALL.

The Rock County Pomona Grange holds a special meeting Wednesday, October 16th, 1889, at the Janesville grange hall at 10 o'clock a. m. After noon open to the public. The special work of this meeting is making arrangements for our winter convention, appointing committees, etc. It is desired that there be a full house of 5th degree members. The following is the programme for the afternoon:

1. Music.
2. Reading.
3. Essay—Money: Its Use and Abuse.
4. Paper—Money: Its Use and Abuse.
5. Essay—Money: Its Use and Abuse.
6. Song.
7. Essay—Money: Its Use and Abuse.
8. Essay—Money: Its Use and Abuse.
9. Music.
10. Essay—Money: Its Use and Abuse.

There will be a short time allowed for discussion after each of the above articles.

Com prepared to answer the following question: Are the farmers in your vicinity as prosperous as they have been? If not, why not?

MILES RICE, Master.
E. G. POUND, Secretary.

PRODUCE IS LOW.

I am making prices on groceries to correspond. Read these prices:

Best granulated sugar.....\$.08 1/2
Best Japan tea in the world.....\$.08 1/2
Good Japan tea.....\$.05
Best Java coffee.....\$.25
Best Rio coffee.....\$.25
Best Rio coffee ground.....\$.20
All best soap.....\$.10
Best rolled oats and wheat.....\$.04
Best mixed bird seed.....\$.05
Best Spear Head pig tobacco.....\$.40
Best Climax pig tobacco.....\$.40
Best Navy pig tobacco.....\$.30
Best Navy fine cut tobacco.....\$.40
Best silver smoking tobacco.....\$.15
Best Gies starch.....\$.05
Best Corn starch.....\$.05
Best Butter and picnic crackers.....\$.05
Best Patent flour.....\$ 1.25
Dried peaches per lb.....\$.15
Dried peaches per lb.....\$.15
Best straight family flour.....\$ 1.00
New Buckwheat flour.....\$.40
Pure honey syrup in cans per gal.....\$ 1.00
Pure honey syrup.....\$.50
The three pounds yellow peaches.....\$.15
Good quality apples.....\$.10
Best cider vinegar made.....\$.15
Booth's celebrated oysters.....\$.25
Wooden, stone and willow ware at cost. All canned goods, pickles and sauces very cheap. You will buy all groceries from me at wholesale prices until further notice.

Highest price in cash paid for choice butter and eggs, potatoes, onions and other produce.

W. T. VANKIER,
18 Main street, east side.

FULTON VILLAGE.

—Mr. Sam Bentley left for Iowa last week. He expects to be gone for some time.

—Miss Dorothy Cram attended the Chicago exposition last week.

—Mr. Thomas Biggs, of Huntington, Iowa, is visiting his brother and son of this place.

—Mrs. Cooper and son, of Lake Mills, are guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin.

—A meeting of the W. H. Peace society met Thursday evening of this week.

—Mr. Allen Vassett, of Stillwater, Minnesota, is visiting old friends in Fulton at present.

—Miss Bell White has been appointed secretary of the Fulton Sunday School Association, to act in the absence of the present secretary.

—Mr. Whiting has a large house, one mile south of the Ford on the Janesville road, burned down last Sunday morning. We hear that all of the furniture was burned except the piano.

—A good many from this place attended the races in Evansville last Friday and Saturday.

—There have been quite heavy frosts here the past few nights.

FOOTBALL.

—Stanley Braden is enjoying a visit at his home here.

—Mr. Hopson Bech spent a part of the week in Albany with his daughter, Mrs. Ella Littel, who is reported as being very ill at that place.

—Rev. O. A. Richards, State Evangelist, delivered a very interesting address to the people at the Duane church last Sunday afternoon.

—Miss Debbie McDonald will visit friends in Palmyra this week.

—Mrs. Coss, Mrs. Ida Fisher and Mrs. Jennie Silverthorn and daughter, Nellie, of Janesville, were calling on Footville friends Tuesday.

—Miss Jennie Fisher is spending the week in Janesville.

—Miss Louisa Wells has been quite sick the past few weeks.

—Dr. Braden and family are entertaining company from Ohio.

—Mr. James Leach returned last week from Rockford, where he has been acting as insurance agent the past few months.

—Word reached this place Saturday evening that Mr. Wheaton, a former resident of Rockford, but recently of Tacoma, Washington territory, had died at the latter place.

FAIRFAX.

—E. F. Welch and daughter are sojourning in Minnesota.

—Rev. T. S. Oadams preached a very able discourse in this place on a recent Sunday.

—William Rokenbrdt was taken quite sick the first of the week, but is now on the mend. Mrs. Leach and J. B. Moore have also been on the sick list, but are now improving.

—Waterman is making barley prices on his Camil hair and Australian wool underwear.

—There will be a social at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. John Heddlitz on Friday afternoon and evening, Oct. 11th to which all are cordially invited.

—Died—At her home near this village on Monday morning, October 7, 1889, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Williams, aged 29 years. Lillie had been an invalid much of the time for several years, and during her last sickness of some two months she had been a great sufferer. She was a person remarkable for a quiet and amiable disposition, and a great favorite in the home circle, where she was greatly missed. Funeral services were held at her late home on Tuesday afternoon, conducted by Rev. Dr. Collier, of Delavan, the happy and prosperous husband. The community sympathized with Mr. and Mrs. Williams in their great sorrow.

Dr. Rill's Cough Syrup is fast taking the place of all the old-fashioned cough remedies. It never fails to relieve the most violent cold, and for throat disease it is invaluable. Price 25 cents.

There is a doubly armed—my death and life. Mr. J. H. Haight, of Johnston, Wis., writes: "I was once at a social gathering where I was sitting alone suffering with neuralgia. I was told to take a bottle of Salvation Oil."

MILTON.

—On Wednesday evening Mr. George F. Pomeroy, of Fulton, and Miss Edith A. Merrill, of Fulton, were united in marriage at the residence of Prof. Whitford, who was the officiating clergyman. The bride graduated here and has many friends who unite in wishing her and her husband every success in life.

—Mrs. Graham, of Brandon, was the guest of the Misses Rogers last week.

—Deacon Bingham and wife met with a loss by burglars one night last week. The thieves took a pair of gold plated watches, a ring, a brooch, a chain and a watch which is all that is missing so far as they know.

—F. P. Stannard, of Milwaukee, spent Sunday at Lake Koshkonong with S. B. Day, a snipe shooting. This was his first snipe. He moved to Milwaukee.

—J. B. Anderson did a rushing grain trade last week, shipping nineteen car loads seventeen of which were barley.

—Station Agent Tompkins met with a serious accident Thursday evening. He was on his way home from the depot and while on the highway crossing, east of the depot was knocked down by a horse driven by a young man named Reynolds. His head and face were badly cut and bruised, but fortunately no bones were broken. It will be some time before he will fully recover from the hurts.

—D. F. Kenyon, of Janesville, was in Milton Saturday.

—Miss Rice and family returned from their Minnesota trip last Saturday.

—Wm. Jones, of Clinton, spent a few hours here Wednesday visiting his daughters.

—Dr. Myers, of Monroe, was here Thursday looking up the poultry dealers.

—A Miller, of Crookston, Minn., spent some days here last week visiting his mother, sister and brother.

—H. P. Clarke, of Brodhead, was in the village Thursday on his way home to his wife and children, where he had been to look after his lands.

—Dr. Hall, of Madison, was here Friday looking over the archaeological collections of W. P. Clarke, President Whitford and the college.

—The famous "Bowl of Doubtful" highway case took a goodly number of Miltonians into Judge Patterson's court last week.

—The drawing for the Grand Army rug took place last Wednesday night, and the lucky ticket was held by Miss Sarah Davis left for the "Soo" this week. He got back from there last Sunday, but had to return again to meet parties.

—The Seventh-Day Baptists gave their church a thorough renovation last Wednesday and Thursday. Fall house cleaning.

—Rev. M. C. Hickman, the new pastor of the M. E. church, arrived in town on Saturday, and occupied his pulpit Sunday. He will find this a pleasant duty, and that our citizens will give him a cordial reception.

—The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. John Cunningham, of Janesville, was brought here for burial Tuesday. The young man, Mr. and Mrs. Cunningham were very sympathetic with them in their sorrow.

—E. B. Sanders spent Friday, Saturday and Sunday in Chicago.

—Henry Bank, of Dakota, brother of the late William Bank, moved onto the Alexander farm lot, west of the city, and will engage in farming there.

EMERALD GROVE.

—Rev. Dr. R. Grover will occupy the Congregational pulpit at this place next Sunday morning.

FINISH IT.

A Role that Many People May Profitably Apply to Their Work.

When Samuel F. B. Morse, afterwards famous as the inventor of the electric telegraph, was a young painter studying in London, he made a drawing from a small cast of the Farnese Hercules, intending to offer it to Benjamin West as an example of his skill. Being anxious for the favorable opinion of his master, he spent a fortnight upon the drawing, and thought he had made it perfect.

When Mr. West saw the drawing, he examined it critically, commended it in this and that particular, then handed it back, saying: "Very well, sir, very well, sir, very well. Go on and finish it."

"But it is finished," said the young artist.

"Oh, no," said Mr. West; "look here, and here, and here." And he put his finger upon various unfinished places.

Mr. Morse saw the defects, now that they were pointed out to him, and devoted another week to remedying them. Then he carried the drawing again to the master. Mr. West was evidently much pleased, and lavished praises upon the work; but at the end he handed it back, and said as before: "Very well, indeed, sir. Go on and finish it."

"Is it not finished?" asked Mr. Morse, by this time all but discouraged.

"Not yet; you have not marked that muscle, nor the articulations of the finger-joints."

The student once more took the drawing home, and spent several days in retouching it. He would have it done this time.

But the critic was not yet satisfied. The work was good, "very good, indeed, remarkably clever," but it needed to be "finished."

"I can not finish it," said Mr. Morse, in despair.

"Well," answered Mr. West, "I have tried you long enough. You have learned more by this drawing than you would have accomplished in double the time by a dozen half-finished drawings."

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